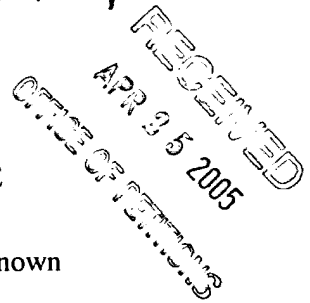
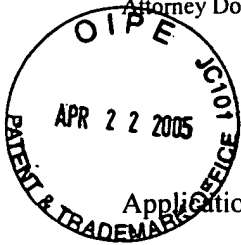


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PETITION TO REVIVE APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)

Sir:

The Applicants hereby submit this Petition to Revive the above-captioned patent application.

The Applicants hereby assert that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) was unintentional.

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Concurrently submitted with this Petition, the Applicants hereby submit:

1. the petition fee set forth under fee code 1453/2453 of \$750.00;
2. a Response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2003;
3. an Establishment of Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. §1.27, whereby the Applicants claim small entity status;
4. a declaration signed by each Applicant appointing a new representative with respect to prosecution of the present application;
5. formal drawings;
6. an Information Disclosure Statement providing additional prior art with a check to cover the requisite fee; and
7. a 3-month Petition for Extension of Time with a check to cover the requisite petition.

Since this utility application was filed after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

The Applicants respectfully request that this Petition be granted for unintentional delay and that prosecution in the above-captioned patent application continue. If any further fees are necessary, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The Examiner's favorable decision is respectfully requested. The original and two copies of this submission are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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